

Applicant: Bradford B. Glade, *et al.*
U.S.S.N.: 10/810,971
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REMARKS

This is in response to the Office Action mailed September 28, 2006. Claims 1-19 were pending. Claims 1-19 had been objected to for informalities. Claims 1-4, 7-8, 10-13, 16-17, and 19 have been amended to overcome the objections. Claims 6 and 15 have been canceled without prejudice.

The Examiner objected to Claims 1-4, 6, 7, 10-12, 15, 16 and 19 for lack of antecedent basis. Claims 6 and 15 have been canceled, and the other mentioned claims have been amended to overcome this objection. Also Claims 8, 13, and 17 have been amended because Applicants note that the same antecedent basis problem referenced by the Examiner existed with these claims, and now that has been fixed. Accordingly, the cited objection is now believed overcome.

The Examiner objected to Claims 6 and 15 for being of improper dependent form. These claims have been canceled without prejudice. This objection is now believed overcome.

In view of the foregoing, the Applicants believe that the application is in condition for allowance and respectfully request favorable reconsideration.

In the event the Examiner deems personal contact desirable in the disposition of this case, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned attorney at (508) 293-6985.

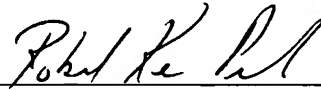
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Respectfully submitted,

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